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EXDIS FOR AMBASSADOR YOUNG FROM UNA

FOLLOWING TEL SENT ACTION SECSTATE INFO TEL AVIV FROM CAIRO  
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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PGOV EG IS  
SUBJECT: GHALI'S BRIEFINGS FOR VARIOUS REGIONAL GROUPS OF  
AMBASSADORS RE SADAT INITIATIVES

1. AS ALREADY REPORTED, ACTING FONMIN BOUTROS GHALI MET  
LATE LAST WEEK WITH VARIOUS REGIONAL GROUPS OF AMBASSADORS  
TO BRIEF THEM ON SADAT INITIATIVES. NUMBER OF EUROPEAN  
AND AFRICAN AMBASSADORS HAVE TOLD US ABOUT THESE  
BRIEFINGS.

2. ALL AGREE THAT GHALI'S SEPARATE PRESENTATIONS WERE  
GENERALLY SIMILAR. SADAT'S TRIP TO JERUSALEM WAS  
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INTENDED BREAK DOWN PSYCHOLOGICAL BARRIERS THAT HAVE SO  
LONG EXISTED AND ACHIEVED THIS OBJECTIVE. THE PRESIDENT'S  
CONSEQUENT CALL FOR PREPARATORY CONFERENCE IN CAIRO WAS  
INTENDED MAINTAIN THE MOMENTUM OF WHAT HAD BECOME A STALLED  
ME PEACE PROCESS. CONFERENCE WOULD ADDRESS ITSELF TO  
SEEKING TO RESOLVE STILL OUTSTANDING PROCEDURAL AS WELL AS  
SUBSTANTIVE PROBLEMS SO THAT GENEVA COULD THEREAFTER BE

RECONVENED WITH GENERAL AGREEMENT ON NATURE OF PEACE SETTLEMENT. ONLY DETAILS WOULD HAVE TO BE WORKED OUT. GOE'S AIM IS A COMPREHENSIVE ME PEACE SETTLEMENT, NOT A BILATERAL EGYPTIAN/ISRAELI ARRANGEMENT.

3. GHALI APPARENTLY EMPHASIZED IN ALL OF HIS REGIONAL GROUP MEETINGS THAT GOE EXPECTS WESTERN EUROPEAN, AFRICAN, LATIN AMERICAN AND OTHER STATES TO SUPPORT EGYPT BY URGING ISRAEL TO RESPOND CONSTRUCTIVELY TO SADAT'S INITIATIVES. WHAT WAS NEEDED AT THIS TIME, GHALI REPORTEDLY STATED, IS TO MOBILIZE INTERNATIONAL OFFICIAL AND PUBLIC OPINION TO PRESS ISRAEL TO MEET LEGITIMATE ARAB REQUIREMENTS, INCLUDING WITHDRAWAL TO 67 BORDERS AND ESTABLISHMENT OF WEST BANK/GAZA PALESTINIAN STATE. ALL INTERNATIONAL GUARANTEES REQUIRED BY ISRAEL WOULD BE AGREEABLE, BUT GOE REJECTS CONCEPT THAT ISRAELI SECURITY REQUIRES CONTINUED ISRAELI PRESENCE IN OCCUPIED TERRITORIES.

4. GHALI APPARENTLY MADE AN ADDITIONAL POINT TO THE AFRICAN AMBASSADORS. HE APPEALED TO THEIR GOVERNMENTS NOT TO RE-ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH ISRAEL AT THIS TIME, SINCE THIS WOULD HAVE THE EFFECT OF EASING PRESSURE ON ISRAEL TO MAKE MEANINGFUL CONCESSIONS. EILTS UNQUOTE VANCE

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